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SOUTHEAST ALASKA SALMON PURSE SEINE FISHERY ANNOUNCEMENT CORRECTION

Sitka. . . The Alaska Department of Fish and Game announced today the following line correction for the Section 13-A purse seine fishery.

The following areas will be open to purse seining from **5:00 a.m., Tuesday, August 8, through 8:00 p.m., Wednesday, August 9, 2017:**

Salisbury Sound and Peril Strait: will be open east of the longitude of Kalinin Point with the following restriction:

St. John Baptist Bay: will be closed east of the longitude of Zeal Point;

Sukoi Inlet: will be closed south of a line from Hayward Point to Sukoi Point;

Fish Bay: will be closed east of 135°35.16' W. longitude.

All other open areas announced in the News Release dated August 6, 2017, remain in effect.

The next seine announcement will be issued on **Thursday, August 10, 2017.**

The Emergency Order corresponding with this news release is EO 1S5017.

Copies of the "2017 Southeast Alaska Purse Seine Fishery Management Plan" may be obtained at department area offices listed below and can be downloaded on the department's website at:
http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=commercialbyareasoutheast.salmon_managementplans.

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